

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT— STATE BUILDING COMMISSION

H. J. R. No. 15

Proposing a constitutional amendment reconstituting the State Building Commission as a three-member appointive commission.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Article III, Section 51-b, Subsection (a), Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to read as follows:

"(a) The State Building Commission is created and succeeds to the powers and duties heretofore vested in the agency of the same name by this Constitution and to the powers and duties the Legislature has vested or may vest in the Commission. Its membership shall consist of three Texas citizens appointed by the Governor with the advice and consent of the Senate. The term of each member shall be six years except in the first appointments to the Commission the Governor shall appoint one member for two years, one for four years, one for six years, and thereafter one member biennially. The Governor shall biennially designate one member as Chairman. Vacancies in the Commission shall be filled by appointment by the Governor for the unexpired term. The provisions of this paragraph shall be self-enacting."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1970, at which election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The constitutional amendment reconstituting the State Building Commission as a three-member appointive commission."

Adopted by the House on May 13, 1969: Yeas 136, Nays 1; passed by the Senate on May 31, 1969: Yeas 29, Nays 0.

Signed by the Governor, June 4, 1969.

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT—POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS—CONSOLIDATION OF GOVERN- MENTAL OFFICES AND FUNCTIONS

H. J. R. No. 22

Proposing an amendment to Subsection (a), Section 64, Article III, of the Texas Constitution, to provide for consolidating offices and functions of government by Act of the Legislature and for performance of governmental functions by contract between political subdivisions in any county.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Subsection (a), Section 64, Article III, of the Texas Constitution, be amended to read as follows:

"Section 64. (a) The Legislature may by special statute provide for consolidation of governmental offices and functions of government of any